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Message from the Director

It is a pleasure to see such a broad range of activities reflected in this edition of the SDF Newsletter. I do hope that recipients are sharing this document with others to ensure that scholars and stakeholders alike are aware of the diverse and interesting work of the Forum

I look forward to seeing Directors at May's Business Committee Meeting

Aaron Hywarren Director Public Policy

SDF Call for Proposals Results

The Director of Public Policy is pleased to report that a total of 16 Canadian universities expressed an interest in hosting Centres of Expertise, and two universities submitted proposals for the Chair in Defence Management Studies

After considering all the proposals, the Selection Committee recommended the continuation of existing Centres of Expertise across the country, and the Chair was awarded to the Queen's University School of Policy Studies who nominated Dr. Douglas Bland

The Directorate of Public Policy prepares the SDF Newsletter every two months. We welcome your comments by e-mail to SDF-FSD@forces gc ca The SDF Newsletter contains links to third party sites. We provide these links as a service and convenience. The Department of National Defence takes no responsibility for the content of third-party sites and a link to them in no way implies an endorsement or recommendation of the products, services or information found there

Events & Conferences

1 April 2006

The UNB's Brigadier Milton F. Gregg, VC, Centre for the Study of War and Society (CSWS) Director, Professor Marc Milner was the guest speaker at the Trantramar Heritage Trust's annual fund-raising dinner in Sackville New Brunswick. His presentation was entitled "HMCS Sackville: The Last of the Many, Your Ship!" For more information, please contact Lee Windsor at www.mcs.nic.gov/windsor/@unb.ca.

1 April 2006

The Centre for Security and Defence Studies (CSDS) at Carleton University presented "The Value for Canada of Canada-Australia-New Zealand Collaboration at the United Nations" with Allan Rock, Canada's Ambassador to the UN. The event was co-Sponsored by the Australian High Commission and Foreign Affairs Canada. For further information, contact David Mendeloff at dmendelo@ccs.carleton.ca.



Your SDF: Maureen Bartram

Maureen Bartram started at the Centre for International Relations at Queen's University as the Administrator in 2003, and it has been an interesting and busy 3 years, becoming familiar with the Centre and the SDF community. Prior to coming to the Centre, she administered a joint Queen's-CIDA international democracy project. In a one-person administrative office, there are a wide range of responsibilities from the daily paperwork to managing publications and arranging the Centre's events. One of the pleasures of working at the Centre is the diversity of people Maureen has the opportunity to meet and work with. She enjoys the planning of conferences, workshops and events that the Centre hosts.

3 April 2006

The Centre d'études des politiques étrangères et de sécurité (CEPES) at the Université du Québec à Montréal (UQAM), along with the Chaire de recherche du Canada en politiques étrangère et de défense canadiennes hosted a lunch conference entitled: "Le multilatéralisme en crise" at UQAM. David Malone, Assistant Deputy Minister at Foreign Affairs, Ben Rowswell, Canadian diplomat and Alex Macleod, the CEPES Director, were keynote speakers.

5-6 April 2006

In cooperation with the Arthur V. Mauro Centre for Peace and Justice, University of Manitoba, the Harry S. Truman Research Institute, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, and the Panorama Centre for the Dissemination of Democracy in Ramallah, the Centre for Defence and Security Studies, University of Manitoba, organized Phase II of a three-phase study on "Models for Third Party Peace Operation Intervention into the Israeli-Palestinian conflict in Jerusalem" held at the Truman Institute, Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Contact Pat Kruchak at cdssum@cc.umanitoba.ca for information.



The Canadian American Strategic Review at Simon Fraser University

The Canadian American Strategic Review (CASR) is an electronic publication edited by Simon Fraser University. The site features sections on Policy, the Canadian Forces in Kandahar, Background Bulletins, and In Detail, a section examining defence technologies and procurement practices. A Modest Proposal suggests alternative options for policy and acquisitions. In addition, the site includes a section entitled DND 101 ~ A Visual Guide to the Canadian Forces. DND 101 catalogues significant CF equipment and systems. Divided into Land, Air, and Naval forces, each segment features illustrations and a brief description of the major weapon systems.

For further information, please visit: http://www.sfu.ca/casr/101-0intro.htm

6 April 2006

The Centre for Security and Defence Studies Speaker Series presented "The Current Situation in Iraq and Prospects for the Future" Howar Ziad. with Iraq's Canada. Ambassador to Carleton University. For further information. contact David Mendeloff at:

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6 April 2006

The Centre for Security and Defence Studies (CSDS) at Carleton University held its annual student trip to the Peace Support Training Centre in Kingston. For further information, contact David Mendeloff at:

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6-8 April 2006

The Programme Paix et sécurité internationales at Université Laval and Université Sherbrooke organized the second edition of "On the Refugees Path" to sensitize the student community and the general public on refugee issues. For information:

http://www.droitsdemocratie.net/delegations/gc/laval/2006/fr/2006-index.htm.

7-8 April 2006

Research Group International Security (REGIS) at the Université de Montréal and McGill University held its 4th Annual Graduate Studies Conference in Montreal. More than 50 students from across Canada research presented their and defence security related For further information, contact Alexandre Carette alexandre curette@umontreal ca

SDF Policy Dialogue

From 20-22 February 2006, graduate students from each SDF Centre of Expertise and the Chair of Defence Management Studies were invited to the Cartier Square Drill Hall in Ottawa for a day and a half of policy briefings and round-table discussions on Canadian security and defence issues. The students discussed CF transformation, the "3D" approach, Canada-U.S. defence relations and Canada's role in NATO transformation. Officials from throughout the Department of National Defence, both civilian and military, contributed to the event by giving presentations and/or leading round-table discussions.





10 April 2006

The Centre for Military and Strategic Studies at the University of Calgary held a conference on the "Bi-National Planning Group Final Report: A Continental Approach to Defense and Security". Major Alan Fitzgerald, Canadian Forces and official spokesman for the Bi-National Planning Group, and Dr. Biff Baker, Science Applications International Corporation (SAIC) attended the event. For more information, contact Nancy Pearson Mackie at nimackie@ucalgary.ca.

18 April 2006

The Centre for Security and Defence Studies (CSDS) at Carleton University will host a briefing on "The Final Report of the Canada-US Bi-National Planning Group (BPG)" with the US and Canadian Co-Directors of the BPG, Capt(N) Richard Bergeron (Canada) and Capt(N) Pamela McClune (U.S.) at Carleton University. For further information, contact David Mendeloff at dmendelo@ccs.carleton.ca.

18 April 2006

Rear Admiral Roger Girouard. Commander Joint Task Force (Pacific), will visit the University of Calgary campus where he will attend a lunch co-sponsored by the Centre for Military and Strategic Studies, the Van Horne Institute and the National Defence Public Affairs Office, Prairies and Northern Area. He will speak on Asia Pacific Security and Trade. Contact Nancy Pearson Mackie at njmackie@ucalgary ca more for information.

21 April 2006

The Queen's Centre for International Relations will hold a workshop on "Civil Conflict in Africa." Please contact Maureen Bartram at m.bartram@queensu.ca for more information.

Your SDF: Ph.D. Award Winner Howard G. Coombs



Howard G Coombs retired from active duty with the Canadian Forces in 2002. He is currently a doctoral candidate at Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario studying 20" century Canadian military history and focusing on operational thought in the Canadian Army since the Second World War. He is also a Teaching Fellow at Queen's University and a Research Associate of the Canadian Forces Leadership Institute, Kingston, Most recently, he was a co-author with General Rick Hillier of "Planning for Success. The Challenge of Applying Operational Art in Post-Conflict Afghanistan." in the Autumn 2005 edition of the Canadian Military Journal

26 April 2006

The Atlantic Council of Canada is holding a conference on "Building a New Afghanistan: A Comprehensive Approach to Reconstruction" in Toronto, For further information, visit: http://www.atlantic-council.ca/.

27 April 2006

At 7:00 pm, Dr Terry Copp will be holding a public lecture at Wilfrid Laurier University in Waterloo (Science Building Room N1044) called "The Generals at War Monty and Ike after Arnhem." Contact Michelle Fowler at mfowler@wlu.ca for more information.

1-3 May 2006

The Ross Ellis Memorial Lectures in Military and Strategic Studies, cosponsored by the Canadian Defence & Foreign Affairs Institute, the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, and the Centre for Military & Strategic Studies, will present three lectures on "War, Technology and the Rise of the West 1450-2006 Reconsidered" (1 May); "The Revolution in Military Affairs: The Historian's Perspective" (2 May), and "The United States and Canada: Military Powers in Historical Perspective" (3 May) at the University of Calgary. For information, visit:

http://www.cmss.ucalgary.ca/pages/events/lectures/main.html

1-23 May 2006

3-5 May 2006

The Centre for Military and Strategic Studies at the University of Calgary will host a major conference on "Continental Defence" to examine the final report of the Bi-National Planning Group on the renegotiation of NORAD and the emergence of Canada Command as a working organization. These events foreshadow major changes in continental defence and the security relationship between Canada and the United States. Selected papers from the conference will be published in *The Journal of Military and Strategic Studies*. Contact Nancy Pearson Mackie at njmackie@ucalgary.ca for further information or visit:

http://www.cmss.ucalgary.ca/conferences/continentaldefence/.

4-6 May 2006

The Canada Research Chair in Conflict and Culture at the University of Western Ontario, in co-operation with the Laurier Centre for Military and Strategic Studies, is organizing the 17th Annual Military History Colloquium in London, ON. This year's keynote is Dr. Stephen Badsey, a senior lecturer at the Royal Military Academy, Sandhurst. Please visit http://history.uwo.ca for further information.

5 May 2006

The UNB's Brigadier Milton F. Gregg, VC, Centre for the Study of War and Society (CSWS) Senior Researcher Brent Wilson is presenting a paper entitled, "Mobilizing for the Veldt: The New Brunswick Militia and the South African War, 1899 – 1902", at the 17th Annual Military History Colloquium at the University of Western Ontario. For information, contact Lee Windsor at windsor@unb.ca.

SDF Special Projects: NDHQ Briefing Tours

Based on Special Project requests from the SDF Centres at the University of Manitoba and the Université du Québec à Montréal along with the Université de Montréal and Université Laval the Directorate of Public Policy hosted two day-long briefings for students at National Defence Headquarters



On 15 February 2006, 15 students from the University of Manitoba, in addition to a small number of students from Carleton University and Queen's University received briefings from various members of the Policy Group and Canadian Forces personnel. Two days later, on 17 February, some 45 graduate students from Université du Québec à Montréal. Université de Montréal, and Université Laval visited Ottawa for similar briefings.



These full-day events offered in-depth analysis on a wide range of topics such as arms and proliferation control, terrorism and Canadian Forces operations.

Chair in Defence Management Studies: Washington D.C. Field Trip



In February 2006, three students (Ryan King, Kate McManus and Trevor Sinker) from the Master of Public Administration, specialization in Defence Management program, at Queen's University went on a field trip in Washington, D.C. sponsored by the School of Policy Studies. This year, students met with officials at the Canadian Embassy, the World Bank Group, and the International Monetary Fund.

7-17 May 2006

The Canadian Defence & Foreign Affairs Institute (CDFAI), in partnership with the Centre for Military and Strategic Studies (CMSS) at the University of Calgary, sponsors a scholarship for 12 students to attend a nine-day certificate course on military journalism and the Canadian Armed Forces. Students from across Canada who are – at a minimum – in the third year of a university journalism degree are eligible to apply. For more information please contact the course developer and instructor, Dr. Bob Bergen, at rbergen@ucalgary.ca or visit http://www.cmss.ucalgary.ca/pages/teaching/journalism.html.

9 May 2006

The UNB's Brigadier Milton F. Gregg, VC, Centre for the Study of War and Society (CSWS) Senior Fellow, Professor David Charters, is delivering the Keynote Address at the Conference Board of Canada's "Second Public-Private Summit on National Security" in Ottawa. For more information, please contact Lee Windsor@unb.ca.



Canada, the UK and International Security in the 21st Century Conference

On 25 April 2006, the Royal United Services Institute for Defence and Security Studies holds a conference in London, UK, that explores Canada's contributions to NATO operations such as ISAF, Active Endeavour and the training mission in Iraq. Beyond the boundaries of NATO, discussion will examine the new mechanism for Canadian involvement in European Security and Defence Program as well as the role of Canada in the OSCE. Speakers include General Richard. J. Hillier, Chief of Defence Staff, Canada, Ward Elcock, Deputy Minister of National Defence, and Vincent Rigby, Acting Assistant Deputy Minister (Policy) of National Defence For further information, visit http://www.rusi.org/events/ref: E43DE2EAA8304D/ or contact Sabrina Downey at sabrinad@rusi.org.

25-26 May 2006

Concordia University will host a workshop on "The Neoclassical Approach to National Security Policy" in Montreal. Contact Dr. Norrin M. Ripsman at nripsman@vax2.concordia.ca for more information.

29-30 May 2006

Dalhousie University will conduct a crisis management simulation exercise as part of the Political Science 3591 course, "Issues in Contemporary Maritime Security." The objective is to develop government options in the context of a crisis situation on a Caribbean island where Caribbean lives and interests are at stake. This simulation is also open to undergraduate and graduate university students, junior to mid-level government officials and junior to mid-level military and naval officers. Please contact the course instructor, Commander Bob Edwards, at (902) 494-6610 or redwards@dal.ca.

11 May 2006

The C.D. Howe Institute is co-sponsoring with the University of Calgary Centre for Military and Strategic Studies a seminar on "Budgeting for Canada's Defence: What and When to Buy." The event will take place in the Osler, Hoskin and Harcourt Lecture Hall of the C.D. Howe Institute, Toronto. For more information, contact cdhowe@cdhowe.org.

15-17 May 2006

The Queen's Centre for International Relations is holding its Annual Spring Conference entitled "Suez + 50: Peace Operations Today." The conference will be at Queens' University and the Four Points Sheraton Kingston. Please contact Maureen Bartram at mbartram@queensu.ca for more information.

Organization for the History of Canada Organisation pour l'histoire du Canada

On 11-14 May 2006, the Organization for the History of Canada will host, at the University of Ottawa, a conference entitled "50 + Year - Canada and Peacekeeping" in Ottawa For further information, please visit: http://www.orghistcanada.ca/main.php?l=cn&c=c



United Nations Association in Canada Association canadienne pour les Nations Unies

UNA-Canada is seeking applicants for the Junior Professional Consultant Program (JPC), funded by Foreign Affairs Canada's Young Professionals International and by the Canadian International Development Agency's International Youth Internship Program These paid placements are with specialized United Nations agencies around the world, for a period of six months, 17 placements are now available. The deadlines are Friday, April 14, 2006 5:00 p.m. EST (first round) and Monday, May 15, 2006 5:00 p.m. EST (second round). Visit http://www.unac.org/en/get_involved/internships/ind ex.asp for application forms and for further information on the JPC program. For additional information, contact Andrea Chow, Project Officer, at (613) 232-5751 ext 253 or via email at andrea chow@unac.org.





CALL FOR PAPERS

The Conference of Defence Associations institute (CDA) and the Canadian Defence and Foreign Affairs Institute (CDFA):

in collaboration with the Institute for Research on Public Policy (IRPP). Queen's University, and the War Studies Programme at the Royal Military College of Canada.

will host the

9th ANNUAL GRADUATE STUDENT SYMPOSIUM Security and Defence: National and International Issues

27-28 October 2006 at the Royal Military College of Canada, Kingston, Ontonio

The acceptable range of presentation topics will include: national security and defence; security and defence alliances, peace enforcement, and peace support operations; conflict resolution; security and defence related economics; intra-state conflict issues; and terrorism and other non-traditional threats to security.

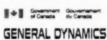
Individuals are invited to submit proposals for papers to projectofficer@cda-cdai ca no later than 23 September.

The three best student presenters will be awarded substantial cash prizes (amount to be determined).









"Last year cash prizes of \$3000, \$2000, and \$1000 were awarded

(To view the presentations and agenda for last year's Annual Graduate Student Symposium see http://www.cda.cda.cda.symposium.nlm)

Recent & Upcoming Publications

The Spring 2006 edition of the *Journal of Military and Strategic Studies* (JMSS), published by the University of Calgary, is now available at www.imss.org.

The results of a major research project on reforming defence procurement in Canada held by the Chair of Defence Management Studies at Queen's University will be released in May 2006 at: http://www.queensu.ca/sps/defence/publications/index.htm. The project is chaired by Mr. Alan Williams, former Assistant Deputy Minister (Materiel) at NDHQ and now a visiting Fellow in the Defence Management Studies Program. The report from this study will be presented to the Minister of National Defence and will eventually be published as a text for graduate classes in defence management.

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Diez, Jordi (Ed.). May 2006. Canadian and Mexican Security in the New America: Challenges and Prospects. Claxton Papers No.7. Available on line at: http://www.queensu.ca/sps/defence/publications/index.htm

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Maclean, Sandra. 2006. "Conflicting Regional Identities and Discourses: South(ern) African Responses to Zimbabwe's Crisis." Chapter in Bøås et al. *The Political Economy of Regions and Regionalism*. New York: Palgrave Macmillan.

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Thomson, Susan. March 2006. "Everyday Forms of Power: Amplifying Individual Voices in Post-Conflict Zones." Working Paper Series. Conflict and Development Program. Liu Institute for Global Issues.

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